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THIS YEAR'S WHEAT CROP. A LARGE SHORTAGE IN YIELD.

Careful Reports from the Spring- and Winter-Wheat States, Showing Statistics for Ench State. A Milwaukee correspondent gives the

following estimate of Mr. Tallmadge upon the condition of the wheat crop for 1885. Says he:

The thrashing in most of the winter wheat States is well advanced, and, with the exception of Indiana, there is but little or no increase to be made in the figures furnished July 1st. Spring wheat also shows little upon which to base a change of estimate, except in the | weather.' State of Minnesota, where there has been considerable damage. In the spring-wheat sections of Dakota, Nebraska, and Iowa they are in the midst of harvest, and are havvery unfavorable weather. In the comparative crop table given herewith the figures on the crop of 1884 Texas, writes : are not those of Professor statistician of the Department at Washington. There being so many gross errors in his final report of 1884, I deem it unfair to make comparisons with it. I have therefore used my own report for last year, compiled from the official reports of the different State agricultural departments. I believe the State departments' reports are more carefully compiled than those of the Government, and therefore nearer actual results. To illustrate : The California Agricultural Department, which has several hundred correspondents through-58,000,000

out the State, reported the crop of 1884 bushels. Professor Dodge placed it at 44,000,000. The Kansas State Department, with 1,500 correspondents in the State, gave the total vield of Kansas at 45,000,000. Professor Dodge figured it at 35,000,-000. D. H. Wheeler, statistician and secretary of the Nebraska State Board. who has the best facilities for getting information, places the yield of his State for 1884 at 18,000,000, and Professor Dodge makes it 28,000,000. This year Professor Dodge estimates the crop of Nebraska at 29,000,000 bushels, while Wheeler places it at 6,000,000, and the National Millers' Association, who have a bost of excel-

Professor Dodge places the total vield of 1884 at 513,000,000 bushels. My own figures, based upon the official reports of the different State agricultural associations, give the total yield as 529,000,000. Following is the comparative statements of the yield of

lent correspondents, estimate Nebraska

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ther States and Territories. 1,300,000

Following are official reports of con-

six hours. James Baynes, statistical agent of Dakota, writes : "I am not prepared to make a full report on this Territory to-day, but in South Dakota the harvesting is progressing finely. With the exception of portions of Aurora and all of Brule ounty, the crop is as good as last year and half of the counties much better. There is no blight and very little local damage by hail. The rains have done slight damage in South Dakota. In the central portion, where the lighter crops were raised last year, up to the 1st of August this season everything the yield, but I am satisfied it will not fall below 24,000,000 bushels."

H. H. Young, statistician of Minne-"During the past two weeks there have been frequent storms, accompanied by high winds and some siderable portion of the State, and much loss will necessarily follow. There is these showers. It is difficult to arrive | recently performed by a twelve-year acre to 11°33-100 bushels, or a total

average crop."
C. M. Schults, of the Northwestern Crop Reporter, writes:

owed by excessive heat, has caused

Daniel H. Wheeler, statisticion of

Indiana State Board of Agriculture

" The general tone of our crop is better than expected, and now we estimate the vield for the State to be between s3, 000,000 and 25,000,000,"

H. C. Bate, secretary of the Bureau of Agriculture, Tennessee, reports the yield of his State as compared with average crop as follows :

"Wheat, 36; rye, 39; oats, 100. From this we estimate our wheat crop will be not more than 2,600,000 bushels. Thrashing is about completed in the State, and from all reports received the yield and quality have not come up to expectations. Much has been marked in bad condition owing to the damp

William Sims, secretary of the State Board of Agriculture of Kansas writes : "The product of this State will not

exceed 11,500 bushels."

Augustus Rymershoffer, secretary of the Lone Star Milling Company, of "We had a great deal of trouble with damp wheat, but we find it now

in excellent condition. The vield is estimated twenty to thirty bushels per John H. Strider, statistician of West

Virginia, writes: The wheat vield of this State will not, in my opinion, from late informa-tion, reach the former estimate of of the ceremonies. 1,500,000. Thrashing does not warrant it. I think it will not exceed 1,200,000 bushels."

C. E. Bowman, State statistical agent of Kentucky, reports as follows: "Our wheat crop is a disastrous failure It is a liberal estimate to place the crop at 3,000,000 bushels."

Randelph Harrison, Commissioner of Agriculture for Virginia, reports : "No change in the wheat outlook in this State. My estimate on the yield by 12 M. to-day (Saturday), of the State is 2,500,000." J. W. Sanborn, secretary of the Mis-

souri State Board of Agriculture, reports the yield of the State 11,000,-W. J. Chamberlain, secretary of the Ohio State Board of Agriculture, writes:

"Our estimate for wheat is 46 per cent. of a full average crop, or 18,884,-882 bushels.

Farmer, writes: "The wheat crop is better than expected, but I think your last estimate on the State-4,500,000-about right.' Edwin F. Smith, secretary of the California State Board of Agriculture.

"There is no change to make in previous estimate. Crops are yielding same as predicted." All reports from Illinois agree that the thrashing shows no increase in the estimated yield of the State, and that the crop will not exceed 10,000,000 bushels, as estimated by the State De-

UNDER AN EXPRESS TRAIN Excursionists Get Off On the Wenne Side of

n Train in the Durk and Are Kun Over, [Philiadelphia Times.] A horrible accident occurred at Engleside station, on the New York divi- might be sent for. sion of the Pennsylvania railroad, at half-past 9 o'clock last Thursday evening. A local train from Chestnut Hill stopped at the station to let off about failed fire. One bullet entered the fifteen passengers, who had been great pectoral muscle on the left side with the Gambrinus Society to Schuetzen Park. There is no regular sta- on a line with the left nipple and half tion at this place, but there is a an inch to the left, and ranged upshed on the west side, from which a wards; and one entered about an inch the passengers got off on the east side and started across the tracks to the moment the New York express whirled

by and three persons were crushed Their names are : Arnold Higley, aged about sixty, residence Thompson street below Twenty-seventh; eight, residence on Church street; Christian Schenck, aged about forty,

lives on Stevens street. Higley was killed instantly and his body was taken home by his son, who was present at the time of the accident. The other two men lived about fifteen minutes, but did not speak after the accident. Neither of the bodies had been claimed up to midnight, and their their persons. All of them were terribly mangled, the lower limbs of two being nearly severed from their bodies. accident and not a lamp was lit about the sheds, although four are hung in

them for the purpose. around the bodies, and but for the efforts of the police another similar accident would have occurred, so detertims. One gentleman fainted, and several ladies barely escaped a similar experience. The two bodies left were well dressed and evidently well-to-de artisans, but nothing more definite than the above could be learned as to their residence or occupation.

A YOUTHFUL HERO.

An lown Lad Saves His Little Brother from

A Des Moines (Iowa) special says :

A noble and remarkable act of heroism

old bey in this county has just been I think it will not exceed 13 per cent. | made public. On the 30th ultimo, two That will reduce the average yield per | miles west of Maxwell, northwest of this city, a little four-year-old son of yield of 29,500,000 bushels. The dam- J. J. Shechter was playing on age in quality will equal, I think, 7 per well platform near a barn. One of cent. of the value as compared with an the boards covering the well had become loose and the little fellow tumbled into the well, which was nineteen feet from the platform to the bottom, and "The extremely wet weather, fol- contained seven feet of water. By a mere chance a twelve-year-old halfblight, and black rust is doing great brother happened to be near, and, see-harm. Well-informed parties say the damage will not be less than 30 per Peering down through the narrow open-The damage to quality will be | ing, he could see the little fellow throw still greater."

John R. Schafer, secretary of the the water. With great presence of Iowa State Board of Agriculture, mind he decided at once that the department. Private reports from this through the opening, slip down the State say there has been slight damage." pump-stock, grasp the little fellow Omaha, Neb., telegraphs that the condition of the wheat crop in that State is could be rescued. But the effort excellent, showing improvement since proved more difficult than he had antithe last report. He estimates that the cipated, the well being curbed with State will yield at least 16,000,000 | lumber in circular form. There were bushels. Late reports from Wisconsin no projections of any kind for a indicate damage by recent wet weather footing, and the stock being quite and by insects will be from 10 to 12 slippery, his weight carried him to per cent., reducing the yield of the the very bottom of the well, but comper cent., reducing the yield of the the very bottom of the well, but com-State to about 14,000,000 bushels. ing to the surface he grasped the drown-The Hon. S. A. Conant, Secretary of ing child in one hand, and with the State of Michigan, writes:

"On July 1st we estimated the wheat crop of Michigan at 25,373,682 bushels. The weather during the harvest was excellent, and we think the the mother, who also had witnessed the yield will not fall short of 25,600,000 | accident. It was near an hour before the child fully recovered. The hero's

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

The Richmond Disputch, Sunday, August 9th, will contain full telegraphic reports and twenty illustrations of the Grant memorial obsequies. The Dispatch has made arrangements

to secure full telegraphic reports of the imposing ceremonies connected with the memorial obsequies of General Grant to-day. These graphic descriptions will be illustrated by twenty engravings of the most notable incidents of that great occasion, including The Death-Bed Scene; Embalming the Body; The Casket and Canopy; The Cottage at Mt. McGregor Under Guard; The Private Ceremonies at Mt. McGregor; The Departure from Mt. McGregor Arriving in Albany; President Clevejand and Cabinet Viewing the Remains while Lying in State; The Funeral Procession on Broadway, N. Y.; The Last Honors at Riverside Park : Bird's-Eye View of the Burial Site; Interior of the Temporary Vault, &c., &c., &c., together with portraits of General Hancock, General Carr, and other distin-

These reports and illustrations will be published in a double number of the Dispatch Sunday, August 9th. Newsdealers must send in their or

ders for extra copies of this issue at

ADVERTISERS wishing extra space in our next Sunday's (to-morrow's) issue must send in their advertisements

As Attempted Spicide-A Young Man Shoot Himself- His Denth Very Probable.

times in the breast about 12 o'clock

Fogg is a native of King and Queen county. His father and mother are promptly. both dead, and he has been living here for some time and has borne an excellent character. He was sober, indus- culty in raising the necessary amount. trious, and attentive to business, and, as far as known, had nothing to prev Mr. Duke, his brother-in-law, which occurred last week. He was thoroughly devoted to Mr. Duke ; in his sickness waited upon him most tenderly and ost many nights' sleep. The funeral took place in Louisa county, and young Fogg returned from it in de average daily attendance, 1,384. pressed spirits, but his condition ex-

ted no alarm. Yesterday Mr. Winston requested Fogg to go up town after a package of ome sort, and Fogg went out and into the stable adjoining the Centre ware-house. Soon thereafter Fogg returned to the office and said that he had shot

himself, and requested that a doctor He had used a four-barrelled " pepper-box " pistol; had discharged three barrels into his breast; the fourth inches below the nipple.

the lungs, and it is likely that one of them went through the lungs. The services of Dr. Curd were cured, and as soon as possible the wounded man was removed, at his own L. Spindle, 314 Leigh street. Here his wounds were examined as thoroughly as possible by Dr. Curd and Dr. Lewis

Wheat, but they made no attempt to probe for the bullets. Fogg was calm and quiet, and said that he hoped he would get well. He lature this fall will be elected with understanding, and they will probably pass a free-school book law, which will pass a free-school book law, which will ers, friends, or associates could tell

His wounds are very severe, and his recovery is barely possible. GRANT'S FUNERAL TO-DAY.

Proclamations of the Governor and Mayor Public Offices Closed. rington have issued proclamations asking that the people rest from their labors to-day, in respect to the memory of General Grant, whose body will this day be committed to the tomb. The banks, the post-office, the customhouse, the Capitol, and the offices in the City Hall will all be closed. The Howitzers will turn out at sunrise and fire guns half-hourly until sunset, except at 1 o'clock (at which hour the body will be moved). when sixty-four guns will be fired at intervals of half a minute each. General Grant was sixtyfour years of age, and these guns com-

The following is in regard to the post-RICHMOND, VA., August 7, 1885. In compliance with the order of the Postmaster-General, the post-office will be closed between the hours of 1 and 5 P. M. on Saturday the 8th instant, that being the day set apart for the funeral

of ex-President Grant. The delivery of the northern mail, due here at 10:39 A. M., will be omitted by the carriers, but will be delivered at the post-office between the hours of 11:30 A. M. and 1 P. M. W. H. CULLINGWORTH, Postmaster.

At a meeting held at the law office of E. A. Randolph, on Monday, it was decided to hold a memorial meeting in honor of General U. S. Grant at Ebewas elected president pro tem., and the following persons vice-presidents Revs. James H. Holmes, William Troy H. Lee, A. P. Dunbar, W. H. Hunter, and G. W. Usher, Captains R. A. I. Bannister, E. Scott, and C. B. Nicholas, Major J. B. Johnson, Adjutant A. C. Brown, Drs. J. C. Ferguson, S. H. Dismond, and R. E. Jo Thomas H. Henry, Esq., J. A. Lewis, John Oliver, S. W. Robinson, John Adams, J. H. Johnson, J. E. Farrar, ster Davis, John H. Holmes, G. W. Lewis, and T. G. White. The speakers for the occasion are Joseph H. Hayes, E. A. Randolph, E. J. Scott, D. Webster Davis, John Marshall, Jr., Revs. A. F. Binja, Jr.,

tain R. A. Paul, John Oliver, and Protur. The flames blazed up brightly at fessor J. E. Jones.

mittee that all the military and as imminent. Assistance was telephone many citizens as possible may be pre- for from Richmond, but there was no

deserves to be.

The South Carolinians. Much of the pleasure of the South Carolina military excursionists was spoilt yesterday by a rain which fell pretty steadily from breakfast-time until 4 or 5 o'clock P. M. Nevertheless, at the appointed time they assem-bled at the old City-Hall lot and were soon seated for a drive over the city. It took ten omnibuses and twenty-seven carriages to carry them and the Richmond committees, and they drove to

Chimborazo and Marshall Parks and then out to the West End. They stopped a short time at the Soldiers' Home; then drove around the New Reservoir; thence to Hollywood, where they alighted for lunch at the plenty to eat and drink, and frolicking of various sorts went on until a late hour in the afternoon, when they returned to their hotels.

The party, with few exceptions, re turned home on the 2 c'clock train this morning, and it is believed they will carry back with them a good account of

Virginia Rase-Ratt Ciph. Meeting of

A meeting of the directors and friends of the Virginia Base-Ball Club was held at the office of Mr. Thomas L. Alfriend last night. Mr. Alfriend. president of the club, said the club would require \$1,500 to carry them through the season, which closes the

latter part of September.

During the month of October, Mr.

Alfriend said the Virginias would make a playing tour in the territory of the Southern League which, he believed,

would no doubt pay.
Subscriptions to the amount of \$200 were secured last night, and the following gentlemen volunteered to act as a subscription committee to call on the business-men of the city for contributions to the club : O. O. Owens, Jacob twenty, employed as collector for the firm of Duke & Winston, teamsters. Donati, P. Rafter, C. H. Becch, V. 1412 Carr street also be resulted by the collection of Duke & Winston, teamsters. Donati, P. Rafter, C. H. Brooke, and

> at T. L. Alfriend's office, 1117 Main street, at 10 o'clock this morning Mr. Alfriend expressed the opinion last night that there would be no diffi-

The committee is requested to meet

Henrico County Schools. The following annual statement of the Chesapeake and Ohio sleeper is daily

andition of the public schools of the except Sunday. county of Henrico will be furnished the School Board of that county at its meet ing to-day : Number of schools in the county, 65; number of scholars, 3,088 average monthly attendance, 2,431;

Tuckahoe District : Teachers' pay. \$2,776.52 : district pay, \$1,420.05including arrearages and old balances. Total, \$4,196.57 Brookland District : Teachers' pay,

\$2,957.00; district, \$3,416.29-including arrearages and old balances. To-Fairfield District: Teachers' pay, over Philadelphia, New York, Milwau- door exercises. \$4.214.91; district, \$2,090.55—inclused whee, and other St. Louis Brewers.

\$2,140.45; district. \$1,276.32-including arrearages and old balances. To-Total for all the districts. \$20,292.18. | For sale by

Paid out by treasurer, \$21,196.17. Balance in favor of treasurer, 34 The platforms of the Democratic and request, to the residence of Mr. John Republican parties both pledge that the State shall furnish to all public-school children school-books free of cost, and

ust 1, 1884, \$903,65

this is to be done without reference to the passage by Congress of the Blair

session of 1886-'87. At present only indigent children are supplied with books free. When the new law goes into effect all publicschool children will be entitled to re-

ceive their school-books free of charge. The annual reports of the Chamber Commerce are just out from the press of Mr. William Ellis Jones, and make embodying a vast deal of information concerning the business and progress of the city of Richmond. These reports are distributed among members of the Chamber here, and large numbers are sent to other portions of the country. They answer in a compact cerning public enterprises, transportation lines, manufacturers, commerce, schools, taxation, mortality, &c., of the

showing that it is a highly useful or-Judge Latham, who has been holding court here for Judge Atkins, left the

sume of the work of the Chamber,

city yesterday. The Old Dominion Fishing and Yacht Club returned yesterday from their annual cruise. They had a fine

Hall architects have reconciled their differences, and the work on the spenifications will now proceed. Casualties" the Charleston (S. C.) News and Courier remarks that "a base-ball expert in Richmond, Va.,

Robert Caskie, drunk. Fined \$2.50. Mattie Jackson (colored), charged with using insulting and abusive language to Rebecca Busnitz. She was

urned over to her mother to be whip-

The following cases were disposed of

assault and battery. The case was continued till next Monday.

David Shoot (colored) was fined \$5 for beating Henrietta Braxton.

allowing his horses to stand on the Last night about 10 o'clock a fire broke out in Manchester in the planing-

for beating Bridget Doherty.
William Booker was fined \$2 for

sent and make this occasion what it need of it, as the fire was quickly extinguished. The damage was slight, resulting mostly in what was stolen and in the pulling down and hauling out of machinery.

Suit Agatust Mrs. Tunstall. Mr. C. H. Deuring, an ex-policeman of this city, has entered suit in the Circuit Court here against Mrs. Jane Tunstall, aunt of Thomas J. Cluverius, for \$840 for services as detective alleged to have been rendered the prisoner under agreement with Mrs. Tunstall. It is said that Mrs. Tunstall has already paid Mr. Deuring several hun-

Henrico Convention. The Democratic Convention of Henrice county, elected to nominate a candidate for the House of Delegates, will meet at the county court-house to-day, but the probability is that they will defer the nomination for several weeks.

1,000; mortality of colored, 33.66 per 1,000. Average, 24.96 per 1,000. Above appears in daily of the 5th of

RICHMOND, VA., August 7, 1885.

"Mortality of white, 25.28 per

To the Editor of the Dispatch : Gentlemen .- Below please find stateent of the death rate for week ending August 1st as furnished the papers : Rate of mortality of whole population, 24.96; rate of mortality of white population, 25.28; rate of mortality of

plored population, 23.66. I am not accountable for typographical errors. Respectfully, J. G. CABELL. President Board of Health.

Base-ball this evening at 5 o'clock. White Sulphur Sleeper. In addition to the Pullman sleeping cars that go through to Cincinnati and Louisville, the fast express leaving Richmond at 7:20 P. M. from the Chesapeake and Ohio depot has attached to it ne of the comfortable double-berth Chesapeake and Ohio sleeping-cars, The additions to the membership have which reaches White Sulphur at 4:12 A. M., and remains there. This car should be well patronized by Richmond people going to the White Sulphur, as tallows them to sleep undisturbed until breakfast time. The fast express with this new feature is the most desirable train for "the White."

See the Alexandria Ball Club.

The Only I madulterated Recr. is the genuine Anheuser-Busch St. Loui Lager. Doctors prescribe it daily, and The following is a statement of funds | no family should be without it. Can the amateurs beat the Virginia

> Agule Victorious. The Anheuser-Busch Brewing Asso-

Varine District: Teachers' pay, turn.

Siberian Crab-Apples preserving, and making jelly. sion, and will be followed by a pro-

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Boston Christian Freeman: We would by no means recommend any kind of medicine which we did not know to be good—particularly for infants. But of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup we can speak from knowledge. In our own family it has proved a blesting indeed, by giving an infant tron bled with colle-pales quiet sleep and the parents unbroken rest at night. Most parents can appreciate these blessings. Here is an article which works to perfection, and the little cherub awakee as " bright as a buthe without it from the birth of the child till it had finished with the teething sloge on

RICHMOND BAZAAR, 10 A. M., horses, mules, phastons, burgles,

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real fruit.

Vickers et als.) the city of Manchester.

In compliance with a feeree entered in the above cause on the lat day of June 1885. I will proceed at my office, in the city of Manchester, to take: 1. An account of the transactions of the late Elizabeth Vickers as administratrix of Edward Vickers deceased, and also an account of her transactions as collector of rents of the cutator of Edward Vickers, deceased. 2. To settle the accounts and transactions of the curator of the citate of Elizabeth Vickers, deceased, all parties having claims against the estates of Edward Vickers, deceased, are hereto notified to present the same before me a my office. In the city of Manchester, or TUERIDAT, September 1, 1885, between the hours of \$A. M. and 2 P. M.

R. B. TAYLOR.

COMMissioner in Chancery.

TWO RELIGIOUS BODIES

OF BAPTISTS AND METHODISTS.

Did Thursday and Friday-Petersburg Con-Correspondence of the Richmo

PETERSBURG, August 7, 1885. Within a few miles of the city, and on the line of the Norfolk and Western on the line of the Norlois and western railroad, two religious bodies, whose proceedings are of more than local in-terest, have been in session for the past two or three days. The Middle Dis-trict Baptist Association met on Wed-nesday at Central church, Dinwiddie nesary at Central mands.

county, near Church Roads crossing.

This Association is composed of lay and clerical delegates from the Baptist churches of Chesterfield, Diawiddie,

Amelia, Nottoway, and Powhatan The Association was organized by the election of Mr. A. B. Hancock as moderator and Dr. S. W. Dorset as clerk. The address of welcome was delivered by Rev. Dr. T. W. Sydner, and the introductory sermon was preached by Rev. J. R. Bagby. Dr. W. R. Vaughan read a report on State missions, and addresses were delivered by Rev. Dr. Sydnor, Rev. J. R. Bag-

by, H. K. Ellyson, and others. On Thursday the Association was opened with devotional exercises conducted by H. K. Ellyson, assisted by Rev. J. M. Pilcher, of this city, and Rev. S. R. Thornhill, of Manchester. Rev. T. A. Reid presented resolutions on temperance and made an effective speech in behalf of the cause. Rev. R. W. Cridlin, of Portsmouth, spoke on the same subject. The trus-

tees of the Ministers' Relief Fund reported, through A. P. Duval, that the fund now amounts to \$10,033,69 in bonds, an increase in interest and contributions of \$2,753.01. Twenty-two families were supported in part during the past year. Dr. W. R. Vaughan and Thomas J. Starke, president of the Board of Trustees, spoke in behalf of this "superannuated fund." Rev. J. A. Barker read a report on the is composed of twenty-five churches.

by letter, death, and other causes were 70-a net gain in membership of fiftyseven. The present membership of the Captain E. F. Lockett read a report on education, giving a review of the work done by the Education Board, for the ministry under its care.

J. Taylor Ellyson advocated the

been 227. The losses in membership

ett stated that the large increase in the contributions to the Board was due to the liberality of the churches in Man-B. A. Hancock spoke in behalf of a young student who was present, and raised by pledges a sum which will en-

work of the Board, and Captain Lock-

During the session of the Associaciation of St. Louis was awarded two tion on Thursday there was preaching gold medals and diploma at the Cotton from a stand which had been erected near the church. A large excursion Centennial Exposition at New Orleans, from this city participated in the out-The Association met again this morn-

ing, when foreign missions, home mis-See the Virginia Club on their re- sions, and ministerial support were considered. The Association then ad-This has been a very satisfactory ses-

tracted-meeting at Central church. PETERSBURG DISTRICT CONFERENCE nesday, and was called to order by Rev. George H. Ray, presiding elder. Rev. O. O. Littleton preached the opening sermon. On Thursday the was consumed in hearing reports from the different churches composing the Conference and the election of dele-

The delegates elected were: Messrs. J. W. Bradbury and R. T. Wilson, of this city; W. H. Wheary, of Chesterfield county; J. N. Ramey, of Surry To-day the Conference considered re-

gates to the next annual session of the

Virginia Conference, which meets in

meeting, adjourned. The attendance was very large, and many persons were unable to obtain seats in the

ports on Sunday-school work, and

after selecting the place for the next

PETERSBURG. The Surry Cavatry and Old Dominion Geards-Atlantic and Danville Raitroad-

AUGUST 7, 1885. Under the auspices and for the bene fit of the Surry cavalry, a military ball will be given at Surry Courthouse on of some of the best material in the county, and is one of the strongest comthe Old Dominion Guards, of Smith field, will unite with the cavalry in a dress parade. A large pavilion has been erected in the grove near the court

will be large. It is reported here that the affairs of the Atlantic and Danville railroad, concorning which rumor has been rife for several months past, will soon be submitted to a judicial investigation. It is learned from a physician of

house for the dancers. The attendance

Southampton county that there has been a good deal of sickness in that section during the last few weeksmostly of a bilious type.

It is understood that the chairman of the Democratic Committee for this congressional district has lost no time in surveying the field and mapping out work for the approaching campaign.
And from the well-known character of the gentleman for energy and intellicause of Democracy, there is no likeli-hood that there will be any delay in

the work of organization and a thorough prosecution of the canvass. Mr. P. F. Cogbill, the newly-ap pointed collector of customs for this port, has received his commission, and Mr. James D. Bowie, the present incumbent, has been notified officially to turn over the office and its property to him. With this view preparations were commenced to-day, and the formal transfer will be made on Monday. Mr. Cogbill has not yet announced his deputies, but it is reported that he will for the present retain Mr. F. Gallagher

The banks and public building

be closed to-morrow in respect to the memory of General Grant, but it is not

Dr. James Croll argues in the American Journal of Science that the pointerglacial periods were more mark than the glacial, and that they neit did nor could exist in both hemispher at the same time.

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